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DILLON FARMERS REDUCE ACREAGE

NINETEEN THOUSAND FOR 1919 AGAINST 24,000 for 1918.

Beturns from District Chairmen Show a Decrease of Nearly 5000 Acres in this County.

The District Committees on cotton in the left leg. reduction held their final meeting at It is said there had been bad feel- plant on the A. D. McKenzie lands, make a substantial reduction in cot- terday morning. systematic manner and there is every left thigh. reason to believe that Dillon will Mr. Blum released his hold on Mr. county and its leases cover a period of Mr. J. A. McEachern, \$75.00

farmers who have pledged to curtail returned to his store. their acreage:

1918 1919 65 J H Berry J H Coleman 645 J H David C D Jones Y H Hyatt 15 J A Dove 15 11 O C Webster 6 Julieus Jackson W D McNiell (col) E P Page, (col) G M Lee Ervian Coward Philip Cook 90 Ben Brewer 110 140 D H Hyatt 131 . 81 Mrs J A Moore 225 17 A V Bethea 350 J MeQueen 75 85 J E Norton 95 D C Sinclair 250 200 D S Clarke 36 Alex Jackson 18 J W Bailey 1 Charlie Brewer M H Hayes C Bass 10 15 Murry McKenzie W B Bass 15 G R Hayes 16 J G Hayes McK Hayes 1! C F Hayes J D Ray J P McQueen 21 E C Cook 10 David Bethea Mrs Sallie Taylor 32 15 W L Bethea 18 70 60 S F Smith (est) 40 . 38 H B Bennet 420 330 McInnis Bro. 30 33 Joe McCall 17 17 Thad McCall 20 W H McCall 80 72 D L McInnis 28 30

Charlie Graham J C Bennet Lonnie McInnis Wade Stackhouse J H Wiggins Wade Stackhouse D J Fennegan Finklea Bros Earle R Ellerbe W Ellie Bethea J F Bethea S E Fennegan J A B LeGette J Tolar · C P Berry James McLellan C A Wise Archie Graham H A Henderson I J Bennett W S and W A Lupe M H McDonald G L Carmichael A C Moody William Perry D F Ford J A Campbell N. W Gaddy J J McKay Rembert Proctor Couser Alford W M Miller S. W. Epps R C Webster R S Rogers

H W Williams

H C Stanton

D W Wilkes

E A McCormae

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SERIOUS SHOOTING AFFAIR.

cation and One is Seriously Wounded.

street yesterday morning at 10 that the Beaufort County Lumber zed for the drive, which begins on Taber, has appointed the following seriously wounded by D. H. Fass. Dillon. Committees have been at work through the 9th of April. Both are leading merchants and there for the past several weeks assisting Below will be found a list of manshooting. Three shots were fired by rights-of-way and the last details and amount that each district is ap- town and county for the Victory Loan Mr. Fass, two of which took effect were completed yesterday.

the court house last Friday and the ing of long standing between the two formerly known as the Moore place, Jno. Coleman, \$50. reports were very encouraging. It men, but this was not generally in the western suburbs. It will have is evident that Dillon couny will known until after the shooting yes- a connection with both railroads, the

ton acreage this year. Pledges have Mr. Blum was leaving the store of out from the main line at a point not been secured from every farmer his brother-in-law, Mr. H. Blumberg, near the Dillon Cotton Mills. in the county as it was a physical when he and Mr. Fass met in front This will be one of the largest impossibility to see them all in per- of the Billon Drug Co. Some words plants owned by the Beaufort Coun- J. son, but those who were visited read- were exchanged, followed by blows ty Lumber Co. It has other plants at ily consented to make a substantial and the two men grappled. They Fairmont, Norfolk and in Maryland, reduction in their 1919 acreage. Dr. had reached the middle of Main street while arrangements are under way to \$400.00. David, county chairman, has conduct when Mr. Fass shot three times, two build a large plant at Fayetteville. ed the campaign in a thorough and of the bullets taking effect in the The company has large tracts of

make a creditable showing when the Fass and fell. Bystanders rushed to ten years. It is purchasing the site on reports for the entire state are made his rescue and carried him into the which the mill will be located. public at today's meeting in Colum- Dillon Drug Co's, store where he was The plant will employ about 200 given prompt medical attention. Im- operatives and the pay roll will

65 created much excitement. The extent of Mr. Blum's injuries with the plant.

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25 W S Mathan

16 D I Rogers

75 C B Arnett

75 J H Reeves

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30 C M Huggins 170 50 J C Calhoun 60 K S Carmichael 12 44 Milton Rogers 100 19 Jonathan Lewis 12 T C Huggins 21 8 Mrs M D Huggins 35 R E Bailey 15 90 D R Roberts 68 55 150 J N McCormack 100 G T McQueen 60 60 C E Taylor 80 55 G F Shooter 45 72 D L Williamson 25 D D McDonald 135 A J & W B Carmichael 60 900 115 A K McLellan 120 Odie McDaniel 50 66 70 W W Rowland 90 50 E H Brumbles 105 150 N C Carmichael 63 50 John R Jackson 71 380 Z A Ellen 612

LUMBER MILL ASSURED

Plant Will Come to Billon.

Details were completed yesterday Following an altercation on Main which makes it practically certain mittee for Dillon County has organio'clock, I. Blum was shot twice and Company will erect its big mill in the 7th, of April and continues committees for the Victory Loan was much excitement following the the company in getting its sites and agers of the different school districts the following appointments for the

> The company will erect its mill siding from the Coast Line running \$40.

timber in the western part of the

Following are the Dillon county mediately after the shooting Mr. Fass amount to something like \$3000.00 Pce Dee River, \$150.00. per week. The coming of the plant streets at the time and the shooting tion and it is estimated that at least urer, at the Bank of Dillon. 25 white families will come to Dillon Please do not bring any of the mon-

19 town.

Third Case in Dillon County.

A fifth report of a case of lethar-110 Dr. N. M. Schofield of Fork.

February 28. The drowsines, be- them. 16 came more pronounced gradually, Now, recall as above stated, that Mrs. Thad Bethea, Jr., Mrs. Otis and the doctor first saw the patient Mr. R. L. Moody, is treasurer for Page, Mrs. L. F. Johnson, Mrs. I. T. 30 March 3 at which time the child was Dillon county and that you will de- Wood, Mrs. Jack McLaurin, Mrs. Al-15 be roused with difficulty. He would the Bank of Dillon. 12 drop to sleep again after being 35 awakened, and steadily grew weak-45 er until March 5, when he could 16 hardly swallow liquids, and did not 50 seem to awaken when taking liquid The County Ministerial Association. B. Gibson, Miss Eula Braddy, Mrs. 35 nourishment. He was less drowsy 28 in the morning than in the after-20 in the condition of the patient, since 28 disappeared and appetite had 26 turned.

The case will be fully investigated 7 by the health authorities.

Church Notes.

Attention is again called to the Dil-10 nations in the county are expected to Rev. John H. Graves, Rev. W. 35 have their pastors, Sunday school Foster and Rev. J. A. McQueen. 3 Superintendents, and other interest-9 ed workers present. Prof. R. D. Webb 12 and Miss Holland, both of Spartan- first Monday in May at 11 a. m. 20 burg, will be present and do most of 40 workers who intend to be present due time. 15 will please notify Mr. W. V. Jones, 25 Dillon, S. C. The Convention will last 125 one day.

60 church on next Tuesday, April 8, at able service to the county as well. 20 8:30 p. m., is looked forw ard to 14 with much interest by the people of 12 the community. Rev. A. J. Cauthen, 61 the Conference Secretary of the Cen-49 tenary Movemnt, will present the sub-42 ject by means of stereopticon views 50 Dr. John A. Rice, of Sumter, will de-70 liver an address. This meeting will 39 be of interest not only to Methodists 59 but to the people of the community 40 generally and everybody is cordially 750 invited. No collection.

Delegates to Columbia.

At a meeting of the County Acreage Reduction Committee held at the Services at the Methodist Church. court house last Friday the following delegates were appointed to attend the state meeting to be held at Columbia today:

Moody, J. H. David.

MANAGERS APPOINTED.

Two Leading Merchants Have Alter- Practically Certain that Big Lumber County Chairman Lane Names Managers for Jewish Relief Fund.

The American Jewish Relief Com-

portioned:

Oak Grove-Mr. J. S. Fair, \$25.

New Holly-Mr. Harold Cousar, Manning Mr. J. H. Berry, \$25.

Carolina-Mr. W. L. McInnis, \$50. Oakland-Mr. M. R. Proctor, Mr. Manning. W. McKay, \$50. Harlee-Mr. W. D. Trawick, \$25.

Latie .- Mr. L. A. Manning, Jr., wards. Little Rock-Mr. Lahome Manning

\$100.00. Hamer-Kentyre - Jim McLellan, ers.

Pleasant Hill-Mr. E. V. Moody, chel. \$25.00. Dothan-Mr. A. V. Bethea, \$75.

Mrs. R. S. Rogers-East of Little

All managers will blease turn over There was quite a crowd on the means a large increase in our popula- all collections to R. L. Moody, treas- Stubbs.

ey to the manager of Dillon county, Stephens. 463 is not known. He was taken to a The officers of the Beaufort Coun- but make all your collection reports 25 Fayetteville hospital on the 10:15 ty Lumber Co., are men of high stand- to the treasurer above named, be-12 train where an X-ray examination ing in the business world, thorough cause you can take the money right to Stackhouse. 12 will be made to determine the extent and progressive in their methods, the bank where Mr. Moody works, and every man in Dillon extends that is the Bank of Dillon, turn the them a most cordial welcome to our funds over to him and take a deposit man. slip for the same. This will obivate No. 21 Oak Grove-Mrs. John C. any bookkeeping and will save the Hayes. county manager a great deal of trou- No. 22 High Hill-Miss Mattie ble and will save you trouble also.

Pledges may be used, but we do No. 23 Hillsboro-Mrs. R. T. Ren-28 gic encephalitis, commonly called not think, in view of the small frow. "sleeping sickness" has been made amount to be collected, only \$1,500.- No. 24 Pleasant Hill-Miss Gran-24 at the office of the state health offi- 00 for the county of Dillon, that it tham, 15 cer, the last report being sent in by will be wise to use pledges at all. Whatever one is willing to give he In the report, the physician says will give outright without promising that the patient is a white boy, sev- it in the future. Each manager will appointed to render service in meet-33 en years old and that the patient be have some pledges and use them if ing trains for speakers and bands to 10 gan to be drowsy in the day time requested, but otherwise do not use be had during the Victory Loan

Yours truly, JOE P. LANE,

24 noon according to the report made, been issued a number of the Minis- Sprunt, Mrs. E. O. Bransford, Mrs. 15 March 9th showed an improvement ters of Dillon County met at the John H. Hamer. Methodist Parsonage in Dillon on 21 which time he has rapidly convales- Monday, Mach 31, 1919. Owing to a 25 ced and by March 21 the stupor had misunderstanding of the time some re- of the ministers were not present. A temporary organization was formed Mrs. Walker Floyd, Mrs. Wade Stack and it was decided to hold the meet- house. ing on the first Monday in each month at 11 o'clock. Dr. Watson B. Secretary. The following have been Stoney. 1919 lon County Sunday school Conven- appointed a committee on constitu-18 tion to be held at the Baptist church tion and by-laws: Rev. W. C. Allen, John Hargrove, Mrs. N. B. Hargrove, 12 in Dillon on Thursday, April 10. This Rev. S. J. Bethea, and Rev. Mr. Mrs. Joe Cabell Davis, Mrs. Jas. 35 is the International Convention and Howell. The following have been ap- Moore, Mrs. W. H. Muller... 14 the various churches of all Denomi- pointed a committee on programme:

tion will be held at Dillon on the for each ward:

Announcement of topic for discus-20 burg, will be present and do most of the work of the programme. Passion and the name of the leader for Moore; Captain, Mrs. W. C. Moore; 3 tors and Superintendents and other next meeting will be announced in

Those present were of the opinion that an organization of this kind will not only be a pleasant occasion for The Centenary Mass Meeting to be the preachers of the county, but 10 held at the Main street Methodist will afford an opportunity for valu-

Who Will Win the Helmet?

Notice to Every School Child in Dillon County:-

A German helmet will be given to the school child in Dillon county for used in the Victory Liberty Loan poral 3 Mrs. Max Fass. Chairman Liberty Loan Committe for the Yis-Campaign. Send your slogan to Mrs. please get committees together. Joe P. Lane, Dillon, S. C., by next Tuesday, April 8th so that the judges the name published in next week's Herald.

Main street Methodist church, Dr. Watson B. Duncan, pastor. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m., Mr. W. Harry E. T. Elliott, W. H. Smith, T. Muller, Superintendent. Preaching at C. Sherwood, C. L. Wheeler, A. B. 11:30 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. by the Jordan, E. L. Moore, H. A. Bethea, pastor. Morning subject: "The church Mrs. Eugene Stanton; Corporal 2. McIver Rogers, R. S. Rogers, C. S. and the Keys to the Kingdom." Ev-Mrs. Charles Saleeby: Corporal 3. Bethea, J. S. Thompson, J. W. Mc-ening subject: "Jesus and the Lame Kay, A. V. Bethea, L. C. Braddy, Sr., Man at the Pool of Bethesda." Prayer L. B. Stephens, Charlie Taylor, Hin- service on Wednesday at 8:30 p. m. iard Rogers, J. McQueen, T. T. Public cordially invited to all services.

THE VICTORY LOAN DRIVE.

The Chairman Appoints the Various Committees for the County Campaign.

The County Chairman, Mrs. C. R. drive campaign in Dillon county:

The County Chairman announces Drive: Chairman, Mrs. C. R. Taber, Minturn-Mr. P. L. Bethea, \$100. Dillon; Vice Chairman, Mrs. L. Cot-Dulcho-Mr. B. H. Atkinson, Mr. tingham, Dillon; Publicity Chairman. visiting relatives here. Mrs. Joe. P. Lane, Dillon.

School Districts: No. 1 Pee Dee-Miss Lizzie Hayes. No. 2 Carolina-Miss Bert McInnis No. 4 Little Rock-Mrs. Lawrence

No. 6 Minturn-Mrs. Matthew Ed-the week end at home.

No. 7 Dillon-Mrs. C. R. Taber. No. 8 Dothan-Mrs. A. V Bethea.

No. 10 Bingham-Mrs. W. G. Hat-

vington.

No. 14 Mt. Calvary-Miss Myrtle No. 15 Kemper-Miss Olive Hayes. tion.

No. 16 Bermuda-Miss Maude No. 17 Manning-Miss Annie Berry No. 18 Floydale-Miss Bessie

No. 19 Latta-Miss Isla Crumpler.

Hayes.

No. 25 Fork-Mrs. C. E. Taylor.

The following captains have been

Drive:

gard, Mrs. D. A. McCallum, Hamer; Mrs. Russell Thompson, Little Rock; Douglas Manning, Mrs. Dr. Rogers, In response to the call that had Mrs. Monroe Rogers, Mrs. James

Quarter Master Mrs. T. L. Manning.

Assistants:

Mrs. Annie Edens, Mrs. E. M. Hale,

Marshals:, Mrs. James Hargrove. Duncan was elected chairman and Mrs. C. L. Wheeler, Miss Lillian Pow- Bethea, Mrs. Gilbert Berlow; Mrs. Rev. W. B. S. Chandler was elected ell Mrs. P. B. Phillips, Mrs. L. B.

Committee on Speakers: - Mrs.

The town of Dillon is divided into four wards. The County Chairman The next meeting of the Associa- has appointed the following officers

Ward 1 .- Chairman, Mrs. T. W.

Bethea; Vice-Chairman, Mrs. E. L. First Lieut., Mrs. William Murchison; Second Lieut. Mrs. W. V. Jones, 2 Mrs. J. E. Diebler; Corporal 3, Mrs. Isadore Blum. Chairman requested to appoint patriotic workers in each ward.

Ward 2-Chairman, Mrs. J. B. Gibson; Captain Mrs. J. Frank Thompson; First Lieut. Mrs. A. B. Jordan; Second Lieut. Mrs. A. J. Evans; Third Lieut. Miss Ruth Stackhouse; Corporal 1, Mrs. Ida Dunbar; Corporal 2 Mrs. Morris Fass; Cor-

Moody; Captain Mrs. J. L. Bridgers; Mrs. L. Cottingham, vice-chairmon; can decide on the winner and have Second Lieut. Miss Lacy Jackson; man, Miss Mamie McLess, chals-Third Lieut. Mrs. S. Melvin; First man of school districts; Mrs. L. K. Corporal Miss Emilu Moore, Second Craig; City Chairman of Mealth, with Corporal Miss Owens. please call meetings and organize so son, Mrs. W. B. Smith, Mrs. D. M.

the workers can know their places. Ward 4-Chairman, Mrs. Monroe Ruth Monroe, assistants: Rogers; Captain, Mrs. J. M. Sprunt; 1st. Lieut. Mrs. L. C. Braddy; Second Mrs. William David; Corporal 1, Mrs. Charles Saleeby; Corporal 3, Mrs. Inez Williams.

bands for Victory Workers. This mittee.

NEWSY LETTERS BY REGULAT CORRESPONDENTS.

News Items of Interest to Per Readers, Ebb and Flow of the Human Tide.

Mrs. Bensol of Southpert, N. C., in

Mr. L. G. Rogers of Morence h home convalencing from as attack of

the flu. Messrs, C. E. Taylor, L. H. Beiles No. 3 Hariee-Miss Sallie Carter, and Dr. N. N. Schofield, spent a fe

days in Charlotte last week Misses Willie Moore of Coher Col No. 5 Oakland-Miss Pauline Cobb lege and Sadie Moore of Dillor spent

Mr. Frank Rogers spent last h

day in Fayetteville. Mr. David Brumbles who ban I No. 9 New Holly-Miss Sallie Rog- in military training at Camp Se has received his discharge and is

home. The ladies of the School Improv No. 11 Hamer-Miss Flora Hamer. ment Association met at the school No. 12 Union-Mrs. R. S. Rogers. house Friday afternoon. Misses Me-No. 13 Lake View-Mrs. R. F. El- Lees and Sellers of Dillon were there and demonstrated making salads and salad dressings. The same office were appointed to go to the fede

> Mr. H. P. Dubose spent a few d in Hartsville last week.

> > HUSBANDS ARE SCARCE.

No. 20 Dalcho-Miss Rubby Cole One and a Half Million Women Will Never Have the Chance of Marriage.

> There are one and a half mellion women in England who will never have the chance of getting marrie is the statement of Miss N March, editor of National Bealth. In 1917 there was a surplus of 1,337,159 marriageable women over marr able men, and since then there he been the war casualties of 1832.

Miss March says that emigra will remove a few of these surp women while economic indep will prevent women from manying men for the sake of a home.

"Many men and women to this ag of modern advancement," mays in a deep stupor from which he could posit your collections with him at bert Parker, Mrs. William Murchison, March, "are getting different very Miss Edith Elliott, Mrs. W. A. Bliz- from those held in the past, and regard women's right to mother 2000 Manager for DillonCounty. Mrs. W. W. Braddy, Latta; Mrs. Having such a wide choice of the days Gaddy's Mill; Mrs. J. the question remains as to the men will choose the best and strongest women, as upon the Wester will depend largely the future howard race, since the rest of manhood has been cut off. The choice really sests with the woman for with her is th right of refusing an offer of marriage."

> committee is requested to see man at once: Mrs. Marshal Sta Mrs. Frank Niernsee, Mrs. W. With Fitz Hugh Bethen; Mrs. Boyd Welch,

Baby Bond for Victory Brige .

To show our faith and loyalty to our country, our president, Woodrow Wilson, the secretary of the treasury, William Gibbs McAdoe, and our county chairman, Mrs. C. R. Taber, we the members of the Interme diate Class Presbyterian Sandon school are endeavoring to ge on see ord as the buyers of the first Baby Bond for the Victory Liberty hear Campaign, pledging \$5.00 each to the causes. We hope to make it a \$100 bond when the campaign begins and poral 1, Mrs. M. M. Miller; Corporal will sell sandwiches and drinks at the school building one day each week at lunch period.

> Signed: Mrs. C. R. Taber, Mrs. C. R. Taber, teacher, Virginia Tatum, Mary Kate Easterling, Mary Saleeby, Margaret Tatum, Marguerite Easterling, Alice Saleeby, Mary McCormac, George McDuffy, Me

> County Chairman of the Woman's

Ward 3-Chairman, Mrs. Lattie Mrs. Charles R. Taber, chairmant Chairman Mrs. S. C. Henslee; Mrs. b. P. John-Michaux, Mrs. McQueen and Michaux,

Chairman of Health Committee to look after health of workers: 1918 Lieut. Mrs. G. H. Bell, Third Lieut. L. R. Craig, Mrs. S. C. Hensley, Mrs. W. B. Smith, Mrs. L. F. Johnson, Mrs. D. M. Michaux. These are to Peport to County Chairman any sickness and doctor most convenient will be sent. Miss Ruth Monroe and Mrg. Committee to make official arm McQueen will please assist this com-

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